

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**Patent Application**

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Title: Processor Having Split Transmit and Receive Media  
Access Controller with Reduced Complexity Interface

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

The amendments and remarks below are submitted in response to the non-final Office Action dated February 18, 2009 in the above-identified application.